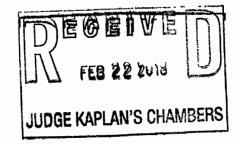


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## VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Hon. Lewis A. Kaplan United States District Court Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re: Kleeberg v. Eber, et al., Index No. 1:16 cv 09517

Dear Judge Kaplan:

I am writing to inform the Court that this firm's client, and one of the co-defendants in the above-referenced matter, Elliott W. Gumaer, Jr. died yesterday. I have been informed by one of the co-executors that they expect to retain us to represent the estate, although that cannot be done immediately. Once retained, I anticipate we will be authorized to file a formal notice of the suggestion of death with the Court. In the meantime, I am unable formally to participate in this action.

Thank you for your continued attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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